

MADAM SPEAKER.—Now Question Hour is over.

QUESTION FOR ANSWERS ON THE DAY (BUT NOT TAKEN UP)

** Informal Rationing in Davanagere City*

188. SMT. C. NAGAMMA KESHAVAMURTHI (Davanagere).—Will the Minister for Food and Civil Supplies be pleased to state :—

- (a) the places where informal Rationing has been introduced during the last 2 years;
- (b) the conditions (Criterium) for introducing informal rationing in a particular place;
- (c) whether there is any proposal before Government to introduce informal rationing in Davanagere City and at other places;
- (d) if so, when it is proposed to be introduced ?

SMT. E. E. VAZ (Minister for Food and Civil Supplies).—

- (a) Mangalore City, Hubli-Dharwar Corporation area, Gadag-Betgeri Municipal area, Belgaum City and Mysore City.
- (b) After assessing the needs and size of the population and the availability of required foodgrains.
- (c) Yes, such proposals are under consideration.
- (d) At the appropriate time.

STARTING OF RURAL VETERINARY DISPENSARIES

288. SRI A. G. KODGI (Byndur).—Will the Minister for Agriculture and Animal Husbandry be pleased to state :—

(a) the number of Rural Veterinary Dispensaries in each District of the State;

(b) the number of Rural Veterinary Dispensaries in each Taluk of South Kanara District;

(c) the number of Rural Veterinary Dispensaries started since March 1972 (with names of the places in the State and in South Kanara District);

(d) the basis adopted for starting new Rural Veterinary Dispensaries;

(e) whether any proposal is pending before the Government for starting new Rural Veterinary Dispensaries in Coondapur Taluk of South Kanara District, if so, where?

SRI N. CHIKKE GOWDA. (Minister for Agriculture and Animal Husbandry.—

(a) Details are furnished in the Statement I placed on the Table of the House. xx

(b) Details are furnished in Statement II placed on the Table of the House. xx

(c) Out of 140 Rural Veterinary Dispensaries sanctioned during 1973-74, from March 1972 up-to-date, 123 Rural Veterinary Dispensaries have been opened and details are furnished in Statement III placed on the Table of the House. xx

(d) The proposals are called from the respective Regional Deputy Directors for furnishing information on 10 points (Proforma placed on the Table as Statement IV and after satisfying the need for an institution in the particular places, names are recommended by the Director of Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Services, to Government for consideration.

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(Sri N. Chikke Gowda)

(e) Proposals for sanctioning (6) (Six) Rural Veterinary Dispensaries at (1) Kalthodu, (2) Guddenaguddy, (3) Kambadakone, (4) Amsebil, (5) Belwe of Coondapur Taluk and (6) Kottakar of Mangalore Taluk in South Kanara District have been received during this year 1974-75 and they are being examined by the Department of Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Services along with other proposals for opening of the Rural Veterinary Dispensaries. Government will take a final decision after the proposals are received from the Director of Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Services.

CALLING ATTENTION TO MATTERS OF URGENT PUBLIC IMPORTANCE

Re: MOLESTATION OF A HARIJAN WOMAN IN JEVOOR
VILLAGE OF INDI TALUKA.

SRI J. L. KABADE (Ballolli):—Madam, I call the attention of Chief Minister to the molestation of a Harijan woman in Jevoor Village of Indi Taluka, Bijapur District.

SRI D. DEVARAJ URS, (Chief Minister):—In response to the calling Attention Notice of Sri J. L. Kabadi, I wish to make the following statement:

On 9th February 1975 there was news item published in Samyuktha Karnataka regarding the harassment and ill-treatment of Harijan women of Jevoor Village, Indi Taluk, Bijapur District, by the Sub-Inspector of Police, Chadchan Police Station. Immediately on seeing this news item, the Deputy Superintendent of Police, Indi, proceeded to Javoor Village and conducted enquiry personally into the matter. He recorded the statements of five Harijan women, *viz.*,